## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: BUCZEK et al. |                           | )      |                           |
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|                                     |                           | )      | Group Art Unit: 1762      |
| Application No.: 10/663,320         |                           | )      |                           |
|                                     |                           | )      | Examiner: JOLLEY, KIRSTEN |
| Filed:                              | September 16, 2003        | )      |                           |
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| For:                                | ARTICLE INCLUDING PARTICL | ES ORI | ENTED GENERALLY ALONG AN  |
|                                     | ARTICLE SURFACE AND METH  | OD OF  | MAKING                    |

## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Sir:

Please consider the following Response for the above-referenced Application.

## A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This response is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2006. There are no **Amendments to the Specification** in this Response.

There are no Amendments to the Claims in this Response.

There are no **Amendments to the Drawings** in this Response.

The **Remarks/Arguments** section begins on page 2 of this Response.